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WHOLESALE PRICE LIST OF  
**GLADIOLI**  
FOR THE TRADE ONLY  
===== 1908=1909 =====



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**ARTHUR COWEE**  
*Gladiolus Specialist*

MEADOWVALE FARM

CABLE ADDRESS—"COWEEVALE"

BERLIN, Rensselaer County, N.Y., U.S.A.

AFTER years of careful selection from the named novelties of the world, combined with the cream of the Hybrids originated by Mr. H. H. Groff, I am prepared to offer the Seedsmen and critical Growers stock of such quality and strength as cannot be duplicated at my prices.

My named varieties are true, and my color sections are as pure as experienced labor can make them. My Mixtures and Collections are prepared, not grown, and are well balanced. In the preparation parentage is a secondary consideration, the main object being to furnish the highest quality and strongest vitality possible, commensurate with the cost of labor and intelligence required to produce such.

The best testimonial I can offer is the fact that so far the largest increase in my business is from satisfied customers.

*1908-1909 Delivery*

Named Varieties

	Per 1000
America .....	\$40 00
Augusta.....	12 00
Baron Hulot .....	50 00
Baron Staffe .....	40 00
Berlinia .....	60 00
Brenchleyensis .....	9 00
California .....	60 00
Canary Bird .....	50 00
Cracker Jack .....	60 00
Eldorado .....	60 00
Emma Thursby .....	22 50
Eugene Scribe .....	40 00
General de Nansouty .....	60 00
George Paul .....	30 00
Giant Pink .....	50 00
Gil Blas .....	35 00
Hollandia .....	35 00
Independence .....	25 00
Jane Dieulafoy .....	50 00
Klondyke .....	40 00
Lady Howard de Walden .....	60 00
La Marck .....	15 00
Madam Monneret, 1st .....	12 00
Madam Monneret, 2nd .....	9 00
Marie Lemoine .....	10 00
May, 1st .....	12 00
May, 2nd .....	9 00
Meadowvale .....	60 00
Mephistopheles .....	50 00
Mrs. Beecher .....	25 00
Nilreb .....	60 00
1900 .....	20 00
Octoroon .....	30 00
Pacha .....	50 00
Philadelphia .....	60 00
Prophetesse .....	50 00
Rosella .....	50 00
Senator Volland .....	50 00

*Named Varieties—Continued*

	Per 1000
Scarsdale .....	50 00
Shakespeare.....	50 00
Snowbank.....	<del>35 00</del>
Taconic .....	60 00
Victory .....	100 00

*1908-1909 Delivery*

## Miscellaneous Mixtures and Collections

	Per 1000
Gold Medal Collection, Mixed .....	\$75 00
Gold Medal Collection, 1st Section. ....	67 00
Gold Medal Collection, 2nd Section.....	84 00
Gold Medal Collection, 3rd Section.....	100 00
Silver Trophy Strain, Mixed .....	20 00
Silver Trophy Strain, 1st Section. ....	16 00
Silver Trophy Strain, 2nd Section .....	23 00
Silver Trophy Strain, 3rd Section .....	30 00
Groff's Hybrid Seedlings, 1st Size .....	8 10
Groff's Hybrid Seedlings, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch.....	6 00
Groff's Hybrid Seedlings, $\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{5}{8}$ inch .....	4 00
Meadowvale Mixture, 1st Size.....	8 00
Meadowvale Mixture, 2nd Size.....	4 50
Cowee's Gandavensis Mixture, 1st Size.....	6 00
White and Light Shades.....	9 00
Extra White and Light.....	12 00
Pink and Rose .....	8 00
Extra Pink and Rose .....	10 00
Scarlet and Red.....	7 00
Extra Scarlet and Red .....	9 00
Orange and Yellow .....	25 00
Extra Orange and Yellow .....	40 00
Striped and Variegated .....	13 00
White Sandersoni .....	30 00
Fine Mixed Lemoine .....	8 00
Extra Fine Mixed Lemoine .....	12 00
Nanceianus Mixed, 1st Size.....	10 00
Childsi .....	10 00

All prices herein are subject to crop failure and prior sale and are for delivery Fall of 1908 and Spring of 1909, F. O. B. Berlin, N. Y., in good condition, after which my responsibility ceases. During the cold weather, all packages are thoroughly lined with several thicknesses of straw paper, and planer shavings are used to prevent bruising.

Bulbs are sized as follows :

1st Size,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter and upward.

2nd Size,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

All prices F. O. B. Berlin, N. Y., and bills due January 1st and June 1st, but subject to discount of 5 per cent. cash 10 days; 3 per cent. cash 30 days from date of bill lading. No charge for packages except 20 cents for each barrel.

Remittances should accompany all orders from unknown purchasers, or satisfactory references be given.

